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## BIG SHAKE-UP IN PASSENGER TRAINS ON L. & N. SYSTEM

New Is Time For Action in the Matter of Restoring Morning Train on Maysville Division.

For some time rumors have been going the rounds of a big shake-up in passenger service on the L. & N. Railroad, and a bulletin posted Saturday at Paris gives the details of these changes.

Instead of the train leaving here at 5:30 a. m. going through to Louisville as now, it will run only to Paris and return at 9:50 a. m., and will leave again in the afternoon at 3:35, returning at 5:50 p. m. Making two round-trips a day.

The train that now operates between this city and Stanford will be discontinued.

A new train will be put on to run between Paris and Lexington, which will connect with the trains from this city both morning and afternoon.

Another train will be put on to run between Cincinnati and Winchester, via Lexington, as a fast line, and will go from Winchester to Stanford as an accommodation train.

In connection with this shaking up of the passenger service on the L. & N., wouldn't it be a good idea for those officials who have charge of the making up of these trains to consider the Maysville branch just a bit more and restore the train service it took off because of war time needs for equipment? In other words, to give Maysville branch the early morning train service it enjoyed by restoring the train that arrived here at about 7:40 in the morning and left late in the afternoon.

Suppose our Chamber of Commerce and business met get together and make a request of the L. & N. officials while they are in the changing mood, to restore this train that they promised to do some time ago.

### COME ACROSS.

September 1st we will place all accounts for collection. If you can't pay your bills now what do you expect to do when money gets to be worth something? We don't intend to pay a collector but expect you to pay the court if you are worth the costs.

J. A. SIMPSON.

Mr. Ralph Clark and Mr. Earl Todd, of this city, left this morning to visit relatives and friends in Cincinnati.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT SHOWS ATTENDANCE SHORT

All Local and County Schools Report Their Attendance Sunday Considerably Decreased.

County President B. H. Greenlee reports the attendance at local Sunday schools yesterday as follows:

Christian	155
First Presbyterian	105
First Baptist	98
Sedden M. E.	82
"Little Brick" M. E. South	71
Third Street M. E.	64
City Mission	34
Scott M. E. (colored)	87
Bethel Baptist (colored)	84

### County.

Mill Creek Christian	71
Hilldale	65
Dover Christian	37
Washington Presbyterian	28
Dover Baptist	23

### Men's Adult Classes.

Loyal Men, Christian	29
Barakas, Baptist	23
Brotherhood, Third Street M. E.	23
Wesley Brotherhood, Little Brick	16

### Women's Adult Classes.

Hilldale Bible Class	26
Loyal Women, Christian	26
Philathea, Baptist	17
Epworth, Third street M. E.	11

Only three more Sundays until vacation season will be over, and then we can start September off with a determination to make the Maysville Sunday schools larger and better than ever before. Try this week to enlist someone to attend next Sunday, do some personal work for the Sunday school.

The success of a Sunday school rests largely with the pastor, superintendent and teachers. If they are efficient, trained workers, who can give their pupils something when they come they will come again. Let's put our heart, heads and hands to work. Train your workers, seek God's help, and your Sunday school is bound to grow.

I want to thank those that gave me the attendance so promptly. 'Phone your attendance to Mr. Richardson next Sunday.

### ABERDEEN MAN MAKING GOOD IN REVENUE SERVICE.

Mr. Kenneth P. Clark and family of Cincinnati, are spending their vacation with relatives at Aberdeen and in Maysville. Mr. Clark is now chief income tax expert of the First District of Ohio and is regarded as one of the best posted income tax men in the whole country. His many local friends congratulate him upon his advancement in the revenue service.

## YAZELL LEADS IN RACE FOR CONGRESS; BARBER IS SECOND

Figures Obtainable This Afternoon Show Maysville Man Winner With Few Mountain Counties Missing From the Count.

Although returns are coming in very slowly from the Republican Primary in the Ninth congressional district, from what is obtainable it is plainly seen that the race is very close between Dr. W. S. Yazell, of this city, and Omer Barber, of Owensville, Bath county. The best information that can be obtained here shows Dr. Yazell leading Barber by nearly 300 votes with several mountain counties still missing.

Dr. Yazell's strongest race was run in Mason and Lewis counties. The former gave him a vote of 923 with all precincts reporting, while the State of Lewis gave him a vote of 500 as against 71 for his nearest opponent.

Returns received by the Louisville Courier-Journal with Greenup, Lewis, Elliot and Wolfe counties missing give Barber 1606; Yazell 1396, and Blair 975. Adding to these figures the 500 votes received by Yazell in Lewis and adding 89 votes gained by Yazell in Mason county today gives him a total vote of 1975. Adding Barber's 71 in Lewis county to his total of 1606 it gives him a total of 1677. These figures give the local man a lead over Barber of 298 votes.

Of the counties missing in the Louisville figures Greenup is conceded Osborne it being his home county, Elliot is conceded to Davis, it being his home county and Judge Blair is supposed to carry Wolfe. On the face of these figures Dr. Yazell is a winner. There are several precincts still missing in Nicholas, Harrison and Robertson counties which are expected to increase Dr. Yazell's vote considerably or at least enough to take care of the scattering vote Barber will receive in the counties which have been conceded to the other candidates.

Barber received his heaviest vote in Bath and Fleming counties. Dr. Yazell carried Mason, Lewis, Bracken, Robertson, Nicholas and Harrison counties.

### Mason Loyal To Yazell.

Although Mason county Republicans are wholly unaccustomed to a primary election and it was very hard to get out the vote, the Republicans of Mason county were certainly loyal to their candidate giving Dr. Yazell a total vote of 923 as against 24 for Davis, 12 Barber, 6 Osborne, 11 McKee and Blair 34, or a plurality of 836 votes over all other candidates combined. The Sixth ward of the city of Maysville was the banner ward giving the Doctor 109 votes.

Other banner precincts in nearby counties were Tollesboro in Lewis which gave the Maysville man 83 votes out of 100 cast and Burtonville which gave him 82 votes out of 83 cast while Concord gave him 48 votes out of 55 cast. Fern leaf and Plughtown in this county cast all of their votes for Yazell.

Considering the fact that Mason county Republicans are unaccustomed to a primary election Dr. Yazell has been highly complimented by his own home county and this splendid vote of 923 in a quiet primary shows his strength in his home county and the strength he can develop in the general election.

### PURSE CONTAINED MAYSVILLE CHECKS.

The Covington news in the Cincinnati Enquirer says:

"Mrs. Maud Sternberg, collector for the Volunteers of America, an organization founded by Ballington Booth for the purpose of providing homes for women, establishment of free day nurseries and hope halls for former convicts, reported yesterday she had lost her purse when in a street car between Fourth and Walnut streets, Cincinnati, and Pike street and Madison avenue, Covington.

The purse contained \$14 in money and a number of checks drawn on the Maysville (Ky.) Bank in favor of the society. The finder is requested to call South 918X.

### STORE PRESIDENT FINED.

Albert T. Day, president of the Busby Economy Stores, was fined \$5 and costs in Squire Bauer's court this afternoon on a charge of breach of the peace. Mr. Day engaged in a heated argument with Mr. Harry L. Walsh, who through contract is closing up the business of one of the company's stores, which had been sold to Mr. O. L. Antle.

A fine baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Knight, of Sharpsburg, at Haywood Hospital Sunday. Mr. Knight is a brother of Mrs. Woodson Taulbee, of this city.

Master Chas. Powell left yesterday to spend his vacation with his father, Mr. S. A. Powell, of Frankfort.

## SCHOOL POPULATION OF STATE LITTLE CHANGED

Mason County Has 2,764 School Children According to Census Just Made Public.

Frankfort, Ky., August 8. The scholastic census, taken this year in all the counties and every city excepting the four of the second class—Covington, Newport, Lexington and Paducah—shows a total scholastic population, including estimates in the four cities of 642,221, practically unchanged from last year.

Pike county leads in the number of school children outside the independent cities with 13,850. Only eighty-nine of these are negroes. Martin, McCree and Morgan have no negro school children.

The census shows 2,764 school children in Mason county and a total of 1,262 in the City of Maysville.

Neighboring counties have a school population as follows: Bracken, 2,479; Fleming, 3,959; Lewis, 4,349; Robertson, 834.

### ANOTHER TOBACCO BLIGHT IS FOUND IN COUNTY.

County Agent George Kirk and Tobacco Expert Slagg, of the State Experiment Station, Saturday, made extensive investigations throughout the county to endeavor to find any other blight which might be affecting Mason county tobacco. Some "Sore Shank" was found in the tobacco on Mr. John R. Downing's farm but it is not thought to be serious throughout the county.

### STEPS FROM STREET CAR BACKWARDS; FALLS ON WET STREET.

Mrs. Nona Lewis of the West End, suffered a sprained right ankle and slight bruises when she fell on the wet paved street at West Second and Court street this morning. Mrs. Lewis stepped from a street car backwards and slipped on the wet street.

### PUBLIC SALE HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

I will sell a lot of Furniture, Bedroom Suites, Tables, Hatrack and Chairs at auction, Tuesday, August 17, at 2:30 p. m., Wilson farm, Fleming pike, opposite old Poyntz home.

ELIZABETH WILSON POWER, HARRY C. CURRAN, Attorney, HENSLEY HAWKINS, Auctioneer.

### MORE JOIN NEW BAND.

The meeting of the Band Committee held Saturday evening at the band room resulted in quite a number of youngsters joining the new band which will now begin practice just as soon as the instruments for the new band have arrived. Prof. Young is expecting to have at least 40 members in the new band.

### PRISONER DELIVERED TO STATE PENITENTIARY.

Chief of Police Harry A. Ort left this morning for Frankfort having in custody William Jones, colored, who escaped from a prison camp at Sharpsburg on last Thursday. Jones will be locked behind the prison bars and will be locked up in the future as punishment for his escaping.

### MANAGING LOCAL STORE.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Antle leave tomorrow for the South Carolina tobacco market and Mr. H. L. Walsh is acting as manager of the Economy grocery store to wind up the affairs of the business.

John Henry Kautz, 19 years old, son of J. H. Kautz, of Cincinnati, drowned at Manchester, Ohio, yesterday, when swimming in the Ohio River. Kautz went to Manchester last Friday to pass a vacation with relatives.

## MASON FARMERS TO CONSIDER CROP ON NEXT SATURDAY

Mass Meeting of Mason County Farmers To Be Held Here Next Saturday Afternoon to Select Delegates To Tobacco Meeting.

It was announced this morning that a mass meeting of all of the farmers of Mason county would be held on next Saturday afternoon at the Mason county court house for the purpose of considering the matter of cutting out or reducing next year's tobacco crop.

The chief purpose of Saturday's meeting will be to select delegates to represent Mason county at a meeting of the various other Burley tobacco counties of the state to be held at Lexington soon and to ascertain the feeling of the Mason county farmers in regard to the next tobacco crop.

Tobacco growers from all over Kentucky are now considering means of reducing the tobacco crop in order to bring the prices of leaf to a higher plane and this will most certainly interest every tobacco grower and tenant in all of Mason county. It is expected, therefore, that next Saturday afternoon's meeting will be very largely attended by farmers from every precinct in the entire county.

### PLAY HOUR.

On Tuesday evening from 6:30 to 7:30, there will be a play and story telling time for all members of the Christian church Bible school on the lawn in the rear of the church. This is the first of a series of evenings planned for fun and good times. Parents are invited to come with their children.

### BIG RAINS IN THIS SECTION.

Heavy rains visited this section of Kentucky Saturday night and Sunday and did considerable damage. There was much lightning but no damage from lightning was reported except in this immediate neighborhood.

### NOTICE.

I will sell at public auction Thursday, August 12th at 2 p. m., at No. 707 Forest avenue, the personal property of Mrs. Dinnie Curry, deceased.

C. H. BOUGHTON, Admr., R. L. COOPER, Auctioneer. 9Aug31

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Shaw and son, John Taulbee, of Cincinnati, have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. James Dawson of Houston avenue.

## TWO DEAD IN WRECK OF CARNIVAL TRAIN

Big Railroad Smash-Up at Ashland Sunday—Two Dead, Four Missing And Eight Hurt.

Ashland, Ky., Aug. 9. — Two men dead, four are missing and eight are injured as the result of a wreck of a carnival train near here Sunday afternoon.

The victims, employees of the McDaniel Amusement Company, were caught beneath the debris when eight freight cars were derailed. Their car was crushed like an eggshell when other cars piled upon it.

The wreck occurred near Coalton, fifteen miles from Ashland, at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

According to the carnival manager, P. D. McDaniel, Danville, Va., the employees were not supposed to have ridden on the train, which was hauling carnival equipment from Olive Hill to the Elks' Fair in Ashland. He did not know they were on the train until the news of the wreck was received.

The dead men are: Will Ham, Danville. J. B. Adams, Lexington.

The injured, who were taken to the King's Daughters' Hospital here, are: Jack Burns, whose back was broken and who probably will die; Riley Thomas J. Hinkle, Clem Nation, James Shaw, Nick Sangi, and John Wilson, negro.

Four others may be buried beneath the debris, according to the manager, as he has been unable to locate this number of employees.

### LASSES WHITE TO OPEN WASHINGTON THEATER.

Manager T. M. Russell, of the Washington Theater, is very busy getting the house in shape for the fall opening. The theater will be opened for the fall and winter season this year on Monday, August 23, by Lasses White and his new minstrels. White and his new company are rehearsing in Cincinnati and will show for the first time in the local theater.

### MOTOR TO LEXINGTON.

Misses Fannie and Lucy Lee and Mr. Stanley Lee with Mr. Lud Mills at the wheel and Mrs. Jane Moses and Mr. Graham Moses and Miss Elizabeth Cartmell as guests motored to Lexington and back yesterday. Part of the party dined with Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Lee and the others with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Frazee.

Rev. T. U. Fann, pastor of the Maysville Baptist church, was in Maysville today on business.

## LIGHTNING STRIKES JOHN FARROW; WILL LIKELY PROVE FATAL

Inmates of County Infirmary Struck By Lightning Late Saturday Afternoon—Physicians Say One Cannot Live.

John Farrow, aged 60 years, an inmate of the County Infirmary, is expected to die at any minute as a result of a fractured skull suffered late Saturday afternoon when he was struck by lightning in the infirmary lane. Frank Porter, colored, who was nearby, also was stunned but he has practically recovered.

Mr. Farrow, who was a cripple, was standing beside a telephone pole when the lightning struck wires nearby. He was knocked some distance and the lightning passing through his body tore a good sized hole in the ground. His hat was torn into small pieces. The hair on his head was scorched and his skull was fractured. Dr. McGuire, the institution's physician, upon arrival said he could not recover but at noon today he was alive although the physician said it was hardly probable that he would live through the afternoon.

The lightning was seen and thunder heard and felt by most every one in Maysville. It did much damage to the telephone system in that section of the county. Telephone wires along the infirmary lane were melted and poles splintered.

### BREAK OF AIR HOSE CAUSES FREIGHT WRECK.

One car was buckled near the foot of Limestone street and another was jerked off center near the foot of Market street at 3 o'clock this afternoon when the air brakes were suddenly applied to an extra eastbound freight train. Whether the air hose burst or whether the train was "angle cocked" is not known. Two young men who were riding the train were arrested by police and an investigation is being made.

### MANY ATTEND UNION MEETING SUNDAY.

The union services held Sunday evening at the First Baptist church were well attended. Rev. Welburn, of the First M. E. Church, South, preached a great sermon which was much enjoyed by the large audience. The special music for the service was especially enjoyed.

Mrs. T. Neal Hubbard and children are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edmonds, of Covington.

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At 5:30 P. M.

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9 O'clock

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Less than the price of repairing the soles and heels of your old shoes.

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